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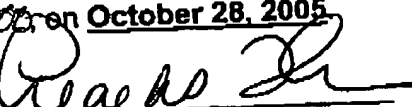
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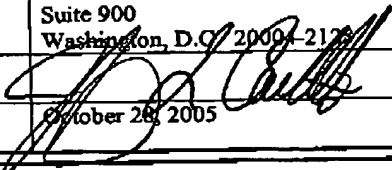
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**REQUEST FOR ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF  
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In accordance with the duty of disclosure as set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.56, the accompanying information is being submitted in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§1.97 and 1.98.

Applicants acknowledge with appreciation the Notice of Allowability and Issue Fee Due form mailed September 1, 2005.

The Notice of Allowability did not, however, include an initialed Form PTO-1449 acknowledging the Information Disclosure Statement filed October 20, 2004, as well as the Information Disclosure Statement filed on September 21, 2005. Therefore, it is respectfully requested that the Examiner evidence consideration of the references cited in the Information Disclosure Statement(s) of October 20, 2004 and September 21, 2005. Applicants hereby submit a copy of the PTO-1449, a Receipt Card signed and dated as received by Examiner Asok Sarkar and PTO-Stamped Receipt Card for the Examiner's convenience, which evidence receipt of all references cited in each filing.

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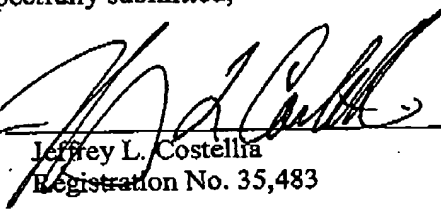
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